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In re application of:

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MEDICAL HANDPIECE

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals from the Examiner's rejection of all the claims in the Final Office Action issued on March 16, 2010, for the above-identified application. Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-4367 in the sum of \$540.00 (Fee Code: 1401) to cover the Appeal fee.

Applicant further respectfully and retroactively requests a one (1) month extension of time to file the Notice of Appeal and respectfully requests that the extension fee in the amount of \$130.00 (Fee Code: 1251) be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-4367.

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